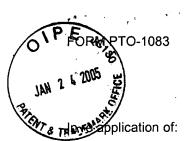
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application

Small entity status has been claimed. See 37 CFR § 1.27.

A Notice Of Change Of Attorney's Address and Associate Power Of Attorney is enclosed.

No additional fee is required.

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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 20, 2004, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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